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Wednesday, September 4, 2013

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before weight and grade discounts. (Prices for today regardless of delivery date).

A grade steers 206.00-211.00

A grade heifers 205.00-210.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at the **Ontario Livestock Exchange - 492** stockers

	Price Range	Top
Steers 1000+	140.00-146.00	148.25
Steers 600-800	145.00-155.00	

Stockers sold on a steady market.

Today at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc. - 185** fed cattle, **210** cows, **15** bulls, and **5** veal

	Price Range	Top
Fancy fed steers	123.00-128.00	138.00
Fancy fed heifers	123.00-128.00	129.00
Good Cows	67.00-88.00	93.00
Export Cows	67.00-75.00	78.00
Bulls	78.00-88.00	113.00

Cows and bulls sold at barely steady prices. Fed steers and heifers traded under pressure with prices \$1.00-\$2.00 lower. Extra fancy lots continue to bring further premiums. Veal sold steady to Tuesday. 500 stockers are expected for Thursday's sale. Sept 17th @11:00 am- Special Fall Yearling Sale.

At **Ontario Stockyards Inc., September 3, 2013: 45** veal

	Price Range	Top
Veal calves +600 lbs	97.00-154.50	
Veal calves 451-600 lbs	91.50-94.50	102.00

Veal sold on a steady market.

At **Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc., September 3, 2013: 108** fed cattle, **58** cows, **2** bulls, **35** veal, **133** drop calves

	Price Range	Top		Price Range	Top
Choice steers	125.00-129.75		Choice heifers	123.00-126.00	
Good steers	121.00-125.00		Good heifers	118.00-123.00	
Good beef cows	70.00-80.00	91.00	Good Hol veal	108.00-112.00	
Good Hol cows	70.00-75.00		Plain and heavy veal	100.00-107.00	
D1 & D2 cows	65.00-70.00		Choice drop calves	\$140.00-\$180.00	
D3 & D4 cows	50.00-60.00		Good drop calves	\$90.00-\$130.00	
Good beef bulls	79.00-95.00		Plain and newborn	\$40.00-\$80.00	

Fed cattle traded slightly lower by \$1.00-\$2.00. All other markets sold steady to last week. Sept 21st @ 11:00 am- Fall stocker and bred cow, cow/calf sale.

At **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd., September 3, 2013: 15 replacement calves, 58 cows and 12 bulls**

	Price Range	Top
Replacement calves	\$30.00-\$80.00	\$200.00
Export cows (Holstein)	66.00-73.00	
Cows D1 & D2	78.00-84.00	88.00
Cows D3	71.00-79.00	
Cows D4	63.00-71.00	
Bulls	86.00-95.00	99.50

All classes of cattle sold on a steady market.

Ontario auction sales on **Tuesday** saw weighted prices for:

	Volume	Price Range	Avg	Top
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250	49	121.00-131.75	126.30	136.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000	122	114.50-129.00	122.81	138.00
Cows	515	56.95-82.32	70.88	91.50
Bulls	42	74.74-90.03	82.71	129.00
Veal 600 lbs +	250	93.66-125.24	110.28	154.50
Veal under 125 lbs	98	46.84-87.68	69.71	189.99

Stocker sale at: **Community Livestock Exchange, September 3, 2013 – 185 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top
800-899	96.00-146.50	109.60	146.50	700-799	79.50-137.99	110.00	137.99
700-799	102.50-158.00	132.70	158.00	600-699	90.00-136.00	119.70	136.00
600-699	99.00-166.00	148.60	166.00	500-599	115.00-149.50	137.90	149.50
500-599	107.50-187.00	159.80	187.00	400-499	108.50-164.00	141.00	164.00
400-499	130.00-201.50	180.90	201.50				

September 20th @ 11:00 am- Quinte Cattlemen's Association Special Stocker Sale. 90% vaccinated, catalogued and farm fresh.

Stocker sale at: **Keady Livestock Market, September 3, 2013 – 668 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg.	Top
1000+	144.50-150.75	149.28	150.75	900+	105.00-130.50	114.41	130.50
900-999	153.25-155.00	154.33	155.00	800-899	134.50-144.50	142.71	144.50
800-899	153.25-160.25	156.32	160.25	700-799	129.50-157.25	149.63	157.25
700-799	157.50-166.25	160.63	175.00	600-699	137.50-157.25	151.32	157.25
600-699	157.00-170.00	165.67	174.00	500-599	142.00-167.00	158.15	167.00
500-599	158.00-185.00	174.46	185.00	400-499	136.00-165.00	154.73	165.00
400-499	202.00-211.00	207.67	211.00	300-399	90.00-159.00	135.43	159.00

All classes of cattle sold on a good demand at fully steady prices. Sept 27th @ 9:00 am- Special fall stocker sale- grass yearlings selling on overnight stand.

Stocker sale at: **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock Ltd., September 3, 2013 – 160 stockers**

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
900-999	142.00-152.00	800-899	129.00-133.00
800-899	146.00-155.00	700-799	134.0-145.00
700-799	155.00-167.00	600-699	145.00-155.00
600-699	166.00-177.00	500-599	150.00-162.00
500-599	179.00-190.00	400-499	163.00-173.00
400-499	185.00-200.00	300-399	173.00-184.00

Stockers sold on a steady market.

U.S. BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES (U.S. funds)

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	196.48	182.21
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+0.38	+0.29
Current 5 day average:	195.97	183.57

ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE

Alberta direct trade for Tuesday was unavailable today due to web site maintenance.

Steers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	N/T
Heifers	Live	N/T	Flat rail	N/T

U.S. TRADE (U.S. funds)

The U.S. cash cattle trade was untested today with just a few starter bids reported in parts of the south at \$121.00 live. Asking prices are reported as generally undefined with just a few show lists priced at \$125.00-\$126.00 live and \$198.00 plus dressed. Active trade is not expected to develop before Friday.

Choice and select steers and heifers:	Live	N/T
	Rail	N/T

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US		¢/bu	\$/bu US		¢/bu			
Oct	126.00	-0.20	Sep	157.02	-0.15	Sep	4.940	-4.0	Sept	13.976	-37.6	Spot	95.29	+0.37
Dec	129.90	-0.20	Oct	159.25	+0.15	Dec	4.694	-5.6	Nov	13.524	-34.2	Sep	95.26	+0.38
Feb	131.50	-0.07	Nov	159.90	+0.00	Mar	4.824	-5.4	Jan	13.510	-34.0	Dec	95.05	+0.38
Apr	132.80	-0.12	Jan	158.65	+0.05	May	4.906	-5.2	Mar	13.324	-25.6	Mar	94.83	+0.37
Jun	127.07	-0.07	Mar	158.17	+0.37	Jul	4.970	-5.2	May	13.056	-22.0	Jun	94.63	+0.37
Aug	125.80	-0.12	Apr	158.25	+0.00	Sep	5.014	-4.4	Jul	12.986	-23.2	Sep	94.42	+0.39